

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
EASTERN DIVISION

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JOHNNY B. HOLMES,

Plaintiff,

vs.

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP,
INC.; AMERICAN GENERAL
CORPORATION; AMERICAN GENERAL
FINANCE, INC.; AMERICAN GENERAL
FINANCIAL SERVICES OF ALABAMA,
INC.; AMERICAN GENERAL FINANCE
CORPORATION; MERIT LIFE
INSURANCE COMPANY; YOSEMITE
INSURANCE COMPANY; BRIAN SCALF;
STEPHANIE CROW; and Fictitious
Defendants "A", "B", and "C", whether
singular or plural, those other persons,
corporations, firms, or other entities whose
wrongful conduct caused the injuries and
damages to the Plaintiff, all of whose true and
correct names are unknown to Plaintiff at
this time, but will be substituted by
amendment when ascertained,

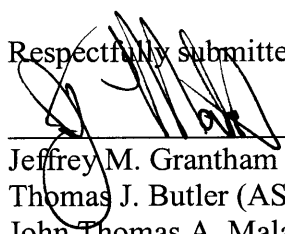
Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO.: 3:06cv33-WKW

SPECIAL APPEARANCE - JOINDER AND CONSENT TO REMOVAL

Defendants American International Group, Inc. ("AIG") and American General Corporation ("AGC"), making a special appearance by and through their counsel of record, appear solely for the purpose of joining in and consenting to the removal of this action to the United States District Court for the Middle District of Alabama, Eastern Division. In so doing, AIG and AGC do not waive and specifically preserve their defense of lack of personal jurisdiction, as well as other defenses pursuant to Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

Respectfully submitted,



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